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### LOCAL AND COUNTY NEWS.

Mr. Nat. Simonds is building an addition to his dwelling.

School books a specialty at the Drug House of Sam'l. T. East.

Mr. J. M. Ellis has erected an addition of three rooms to his dwelling.

Save \$5 on a set of harness by buying of M. Sedlacek, Troy, Mo.

School Books! School Books!! at Woolfolk & Co's. Drug Store.

Dr. Noel will be at home from the 15th to the 25th of the present month.

Wm. Morsey, prosecuting attorney of Warren county, was in town one day last week.

Dr. Robinson of this place returned from a visit to the state of Louisiana week before last.

Elint Hill's enterprising merchant and postmaster, Mr. Thos. Riddle, was in town Monday.

Father Cleary of Millwood has been quite sick for several weeks; is now convalescing.

Go to the Drug Store of Woolfolk & Co. for School Books, Copy Books, Slates and stationery of all kinds.

If you want to save money buy your school books at the Drug House of Sam'l. T. East.

Mr. Thomas Jones of Jonesburg was in Troy, last Saturday, driving a spanking team of mules.

Mr. W. H. Bryan is erecting a very neat frame dwelling at the west end of Boone street.

Mr. Walton Perkins returned from St. Louis last Thursday. He spent several days in the city.

A substantial gravel side-walk has been made in front of the Martin property, now occupied by Mr. Hickok.

The Herald will move to new quarters in the new building, just erected by Mr. Crews, some time next month.

Mr. Geo. W. Elsherry, a well-to-do and highly respected citizen of Hurricane township, died about two weeks since.

Monteith's Comprehensive Geography reduced from one dollar and fifty cents to one dollar and thirty cents at the Drug House of Sam'l. T. East.

The Southdown buck that Maj. Downey offers as a premium for subscribers to the Louisiana Journal, took the premium at the Ashley fair.

Our friend Will H. Young of St. Louis paid Troy a flying visit Saturday, leaving Monday. He made us a hasty call to say, "How d' do and good-by."

We had a slow, drizzling rain Sunday, but not half enough. No amount of rain would benefit the corn much now, but a sufficient quantity would be encouraging to the wheat growers.

Fishing is said to be fine at King's Lake. Mess. Tom Stevens, Jake McDonald and James Ransdell spent several days there last week catching and masticating bass and croppies.

Mr. B. S. Crews has enlarged his store room, and is making other excellent improvements in his hardware business. He is a stirring business man, and has one of the most attractive stores in Troy.

Dr. B. T. Whitmore and sister, Miss Missouri Whitmore, of St. Louis, have been visiting friends in Troy and Millwood the past week.

The Doctor left for home last Monday; Miss Whitmore leaves to-day.

The wife of Aaron Hubbard (colored), on the 3d inst., gave birth to a child weighing sixteen pounds. Aaron thinks this speaks well for the vigor of the colored race in this "neck of the woods."

The Clarksville Sentinel of the 7th says: We learn that Miss Mary Kemper, a most estimable young lady from Lincoln county, who has been visiting at Mr. Steve Mayes', was lying dangerously sick at Mr. M.'s on Thursday morning.

Monteith's Elementary Geography reduced from 50 cents to 35 cents at the Drug House of Sam'l. T. East.

The Clarksville Sentinel of the 7th says: Tuesday last a son of the Hon. P. T. Vaughan, of the Payneville neighborhood, was thrown from his horse on the gravel road and sustained severe injuries, not, however, necessarily fatal. He was speechless for several hours.

There will be a grange picnic at the Upson grove, about six miles west of Troy, under the auspices of the Jackson, Linn's Mill, Brown, Kennedy and Hawk Point granges, next Saturday. Good speakers will be present, a basket dinner will be spread, and good order will be maintained. A general invitation is extended to the citizens of the county.

Richard Henson was sentenced to fifty years in the penitentiary, at the late term of the St. Charles Circuit Court, for the murder of Wm. Addison in the Point, on the 9th of Oct., 1876. He was convicted on strong circumstantial evidence, and but for a missing link he would have been hung, a fate he more than probably deserves.

Last Wednesday afternoon Capt. John F. Diorker, of St. Charles, in attempting to stop an unmanageable team, was thrown with violence on the hard macadam, fracturing his skull. He lay in an unconscious stupor all Wednesday night, reaction taking place the next morning. Friday morning he was reported better, and hopes are entertained of his recovery. We glean from the News.

A. B. Ellis has removed his grocery store to the Masonic building, enlarged his stock, put up a bakery, and is better prepared than ever to supply his customers. He has a restaurant in connection with his store, where persons from the country can get a lunch or a good square meal cheaper than anywhere else in town. Drop in and examine his stock and prices. Cakes, pies and bread always on hand.

Week before last we mentioned the fact that Messrs. Finley & Gladney's store, at Auburn, had been broken into, and robbed of about \$85. Last week a man named Monroe Hicks was arrested on suspicion as the robber, the circumstantial evidence against him being very strong. In default of bail he was lodged in jail at this place to await the action of the grand jury.

Mr. F. M. Howell presented us, one day last week, with four mammoth yellow peaches, weighing one and a half pounds, or an average of six ounces each. They were of a delicious flavor. Mr. J. Holzinger brought us a bushel and a half of the same variety, in exchange for the Herald, that were equally fine and luscious.

The Salt River (Baptist) association met at Star Hope church on last Friday. The introductory sermon was delivered by Rev. John T. Williams, president of Baptist College, Louisiana. Thirty-two churches were represented; twenty-three ministers present. On Saturday Rev. J. F. Smith and Prof. Sawyer preached to large audiences. The services on Sunday, which were the most largely attended, were conducted by the following: Revs. Robinson, Hickman, Bibb and Hickson.

Our popular jeweller, Mr. J. A. Withrow, returned last Saturday from an extensive pleasure tour through Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky, New York and Pennsylvania. Alex is looking well, is in remarkably fine spirits, and a merry twinkle in his eyes and a sort of I-could-tell-you-if-I-would expression in his face, induces the belief that many moons will not wax and wane before he returns to one of those states for the purpose of transplanting one of his beautiful flowers from its parent bed into—into—his own.

Mr. Ready, whose mill recently burned down at Bowling Green, was in Millwood last Friday seeing after the chances for a mill at that place. A meeting of the citizens of that vicinity was appointed for last Monday to canvass the subject.

Mr. A. C. Wheatly entered his fine colt, Key of the West, at the Ashley fair. He is one year old, 15 hands and three inches high, weighs 1080 lbs, is 6 feet round the girth and 34 inches round the arm. He was beaten by Mr. Cash's colt, one year old, of 15 hands 1 1-2 inches high, 1,000 lbs weight, the model colt of the celebrated Napoleon. The sire of Key of the West, owned by Mr. Bartlett of Louisville, took the premium in light harness.

B. S. Crews & Co. will sell you a Cane Mill as low as it can be bought in St. Louis, and save you the freight. Guaranteed to do good work.

The following named citizens of this county took premiums at the Ashley fair: Jesse Bilbro first premium on fastest mule; Robert Shocklee on best four-year old mare; Geo. Morris first premium on "best horse, mare or gelding," and first premium on best mare for all purposes; Abe Duff for best draft gelding 4 years old or over; W. H. Bartlett, best sweep-stake stallion; C. L. Adams first premiums for best wagon harness and bridle.

You will find more school books at the Drug House of Sam'l. T. East than at all other houses in town combined.

We frequently receive unsealed written notices through the mail with only a one-cent stamp on the envelope. The parties sending these notices are probably not aware that they are violating the postal law. All written notices or circulars with written words in them, require three-cent postage, whether sealed or unsealed, or the receiver has to pay double postage. It will be well for correspondents and others to make a note of this.

Anderson's United States History reduced from one dollar and twenty cents to only one dollar at the Drug House of Sam'l. T. East.

Messrs. Sam'l Carter, N. C. Newland, Charles Knox and Wm. Dodson returned last Friday from a trip through Washington, Gasconade, Osage and Maries counties, south of the Missouri river, whither they had gone for the purpose of buying up sheep. They shipped about 285 head to the St. Louis market, and brought home with them 180 head of ewes for breeding purposes. Mr. Carter tells us that crops in most of the territory over which they passed were very poor, and that there was little or no corn except on the bottom lands and along the creeks.

Mohr & Metz are now prepared to furnish all sizes of WALNUT COFFINS. Will repair furniture on short notice. Shop rear of postoffice building.

A granger friend called at our office one day last week, and showed a disposition to "rake us over the coals" because we did not publish the full proceedings of the County Grange meeting held last month. Of course we had to assure him that that was no fault of ours. Our vocation disqualifies us of the privilege of membership of that organization, and their meetings are had with closed doors, so it is impossible for us to be present for the purpose of taking notes. We have to depend upon the secretary for whatever proceedings we publish, and we did publish all that was given us of the last meeting by him. If he omitted anything of importance which it was the desire of the Grange to have made public, our critics should direct their attention to him. We are always only too glad to publish anything that may prove of interest to the readers of the Herald, and especially the proceedings of the grange organization, among whom we have so many warm friends, and for which we have such friendly feelings.

MAN KILLED AT WRIGHT CITY. George Ashlock and another man owned a gambling machine, which they called "the wheel of fortune." They had been to a picnic near Wright City last Saturday manipulating the wheel, and about five o'clock that evening drove into town. There was a woman on the wagon with them. Ashlock was drinking and became very noisy. Town Marshal Parks Kabbler informed him that he must keep quiet or he would be arrested. This didn't have the desired effect, when he was allowed to choose between going to the calaboose or leaving town. He concluded he would leave. There was a shot gun on the wagon, and after he started it is said he attempted to fire in the crowd on the street, but was prevented by the woman. The two hadn't proceeded far when they met Mr. Booth and Mrs. McCoy on their way into town. Ashlock drew his gun on them. Booth made complaint to Constable Ogleby, who summoned Parks and Robert Kabbler to go with him and assist in arresting Ashlock. They overtook the "wheel of fortune" crowd a short distance from Wright City, and the Kabbler rode around in front of the wagon and ordered them to stop. Robert Kabbler rode up to the side of the wagon, when Ashlock brought his gun down on him. Kabbler drew his pistol and fired, striking Ashlock in the left arm, causing the gun to drop, which went off as it fell, the shot taking effect in the leg of Kabbler's horse. The horse reared and threw him. Parks Kabbler then fired two shots at Ashlock, who gathered a stick and made at Robert. A little hand to hand contest ensued, when Ashlock fell from loss of blood. They carried him back to town where physicians were summoned. One shot had taken effect in Ashlock's left arm, one took away several fingers on his right hand, and the other struck him under the right arm, severing an artery. He was carried to the hotel, where he died about seven o'clock. There have been various rumors on the street concerning the affair, but we suppose the above account, which we obtained from Mr. Burton of Wright City, is as near a correct statement as we can get.

THE TRIPLET. Editors Herald: I send you an item from the Point that will be read with some interest, especially by the ladies. One of my neighbors, Mrs. Sherren, gave birth to three boy babies on the 29th ult. Mother and babies are doing well. The family are in moderate circumstances, and any contributions the ladies of Troy may make them will be thankfully received. We have fine crops of corn in the Point, also wheat, oats and tobacco. Chills prevalent, but no serious sickness. N. B. D. Sept. 3.

MUSIC CLASS. Mrs. Ellen Woolfolk has opened a music school in rooms at the residence of Mr. G. W. Colbert, across the street from and convenient to the Troy Public and High school. Although her class is well filled at present, she will take a few more scholars. Those who wish to take lessons on the violin should apply early, as only a limited number in this branch will be admitted. For terms, etc., apply to Mrs. Woolfolk. 36.

Now is your time to buy or rent a first class stock farm of 280 acres, 120 acres in cultivation, 6 miles east of Troy. Will sell cheap on long time. Call and see. MCLELLAN & CRECH, 12-13 Troy, Mo.

Deputy Collectors are hereby notified to close up the collection the Delinquent Lists in their hands forthwith, as no further time can be given. P. G. SHELTON, Collector.

Quackenbush's United States History reduced from one dollar and fifty cents to one dollar and twenty-five cents at the Drug House of Sam'l. T. East.

The following is a list of students from a distance attending the Troy Public and High school: A. G. Kettine, Chas. Cambre, Lucian Cambre, Jas. E. Williams, Chas. E. Colomb, J. Duhe, G. G. Dupuy, Prentice E. Edrington and Amelleus Edrington of Bonnet Carré, La.; J. L. Lemare and Geo. B. Mitchell, of New Orleans; Louis Aubert, Honore Bellow and M. Basse of Edgar, La.; W. B. Jefferson, Montgomery City, Mo.; O. W. Marling, Middletown, Mo.; M. E. Shelton, Prices Branch, Mo.; B. T. Hill and Wm. L. McCoy, Fortale, Mo., and the following from different portions of this county: W. B. Jameson, Millwood; J. B. Alexander, Samuel Elston and Geo. R. Harvey, Auburn; Misses Alice M. Gilliland and Eliza E. Gilliland, Burr Oak; Miss Melile V. Browning, county; Wm. H. Gentry, Chantilly; Miss Lella J. Hubbard, county; Miss Emma E. Wyatt, county, and Hiram D. Motley, Louisville; Jules Cassard, New Orleans La.; Joseph Farmer and Jas. Harvey, Auburn.

## PILCHER! PILCHER! PILCHER!

**MOVED!**

**AIN'T IT FUNNY?**

**Selling Lots of Shoes**

**FOR THE READY MONEY!**

Troy Mills grind wheat and corn for one-eighth toll. Meal and Flour kept on hand for exchange. u37w4

Just Received! A complete stock of School Books at the Drug Store of Woolfolk & Co.

BORN. BLANTON.—September 7, 1877, to the wife of Prof. J. P. Blanton, a son. MCLELLAN.—September 8, 1877, to the wife of James M. Mclellan, a son. THORNHILL.—September 2, 1877, in chain-of-hocks, to the wife of William B. Thornhill, a daughter.

DIED. SHAFER-SWEENEY.—September 8th, 1877, by Rev. A. D. Barnett, Louis A. Shafer and Miss Lou F. Sweeney. ALEXANDER.—August 31, 1877, of bronchitis, at the residence of her son, J. J. Alexander, Mrs. Anna R. Alexander, aged 77 years.

THORNHILL.—Twin daughters of John R. and Julie F. Thornhill, one on September 1st, the other September 8, 1877, aged about three months.

HOWARD S. PARKER, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW TROY, MISSOURI. Will practice in the Courts of the Nineteenth judicial circuit and in the superior courts of the state. Office over Herald office.

W. S. HUTT, M. D., PHYSICIAN, SURGEON AND ACCOUCHEUR. TROY, MO. Special attention given to the treatment of Anal and Rectal diseases, such as Fistula in Ano, Hemorrhoids, &c. v10m48

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H. H. NORTON, CHAS. MARTIN, JR., NAT. C. DRYDEN. NORTON, MARTIN & DRYDEN, ATTORNEYS AT LAW & COLLECTORS TROY, MISSOURI. Particular attention given to controversies affecting Real Estate. We make a specialty of collecting all kinds of notes, bills, &c., at a reasonable commission. Office in the bank building. v9m2

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A. E. NOEL, SURGEON DENTIST, TROY, MO. Offers his services to the people of Troy and vicinity. He uses the Celluloid composition, the best in use, for plate work. All work warranted. v10m41

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